# Harrington Park Recreation Commission Regular Meeting Minutes Wednesday, August 12, 2020

AMENDMENT TO MEETING LOCATION Harrington Park Recreation Commission Meeting August 12, 2020 8:00 pm. Please take notice that in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq. and in consideration of Executive Order no. 103, issued by Governor Murphy on March 9, 2020 declaring a State of Emergency and a public Health Emergency in the State of New Jersey, and Governor Murphy's Executive Order no. 107 that restricts public gatherings and directs residents of New Jersey to stay at home, please be advised that the already scheduled and advertised August 12, 2020, 8:00 pm meeting of the Harrington Park Recreation Commission will take place via Zoom conference. Instructions to access the Remote Meeting and procedures for commenting are as follows: You are invited to a Zoom webinar. When: August 12, 2020, 08:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada) Recreation Please click the link below webinar: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6936944746?pwd=Nm1BQWFsNjFpT1JmVkx3WkJqUzMydz09, Meeting ID: 6936944746, Password: 08052020: One tap mobile +16465588656,,6936944746#,,,,0#,08052020# US Or Telephone: Dial: +1 646-558-8656, Webinar ID: 6936944746, Password: 08052020. Remote meeting access instructions will also be posted on the Borough Website harringtonparknj.gov. Video conferencing services can be accessed via the Zoom App which can be downloaded to a computer or mobile device before the meeting. Members of the Public can participate in the Public Comment portion of the meeting through both the video and audio conferencing mentioned previously. Questions regarding the Hearing may be directed as provided for on the Borough's website, or to the Board Secretary Tel. (201) 768-1714, or by email: hprec@harringtonparknj.gov. All meetings of the Harrington Park Recreation Commission are public meetings which are always open to members of the general public. Marti Francis Secretary to the Recreation Commission

## 1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Meeting was called to order at 8:04 by CD with the Chairman's Announcement In compliance with Chapter 231, Public Law 1975, adequate notice of the scheduled meeting was made. It is posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Center. Copies have been mailed to the BERGEN RECORD, SUBURBANITE, and THE NORTHERN VALLEY PRESS. A copy has been filed with the Borough Clerk, and copies have been mailed to individuals requesting the same.

# 2. ROLL CALL

COMMISSION Members	PRESENT	ABSENT
(CD) Charles DeGruccio (chairman)	х	
(KK) Patrick (Kelly) Kramer (vice-chair)	х	
(LC) Lynne Cappelmann		х
(TD) Thomas Donnelly	х	
(RH) Robert Hwang	х	
(AP) Ashely Plescia	х	
(MS) Matthew Saland	х	
(JC) Councilwoman Chung	х	
(LT) Lara Toomin, Recreation Director	x	

### 3. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEM

**a. Approval of Minutes (July 8, 2020)** KK moved to approve, second MS. All in favor. Carried.

## 4. UPDATES

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**a.** Field Requests: Junior Womens Club request for August 15 We can tell them yes, but remind them that the picnic tables are not there because of the construction. Note: the pavilion will be done in October or November.

#### **b. School Coordination** None

c. Sports Coordination There are many camps and clinics. JC wondered if the Health Officer should visit. MS will check. The softball and baseball refunds are complete. The cicada killer wasps in Field 3 were treated. Maybe they can be treated pre-season next year. There is a light pole down in George Street. JC will check with the DPW about repairs. LT will share sports schedules with MS. JC stressed that everyone must sign waivers.

#### d. Town Programs

Possibly have organizations take tables at Farmers Markets? Note there is club soccer some Sundays at Highland.

Ragamuffin – Saturday, October 31, 2020 at 10:00-11:30AM (Borough Hall Parking lot)

- e. Park & Playground Maintenance tennis courts The price to repair the tennis courts is about \$100,000. AP spoke to the people in Allendale about their solution (a plastic grid covering with Superior Play systems. Maybe we could look into that. Robyn Ferrentino (resident) may come to the September meeting. Fundraising idea: A famous tennis photographer in town, wants to raffle off photos to help repair the tennis courts.
- **5. PROJECTS** Highland Field Construction: The back-field construction is just about ready to start.

## 6. OTHER ITEMS

7. ADJOURN CD moved to adjourn, second MS. All in favor. Meeting adjourned at 8:51 pm.

### **NEXT MEETING**

Next regularly scheduled meeting is September 16, 2020 at 8:00 pm